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Portland, November 5 1864 dtf

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according to the latest, cheapest and most approved style. Office: No 176 Front Street, New Brick Block, at his Office: No 176 Front Street, New Brick Block,
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to merit their patronage. Hereafter the name will be changed to
THE ORANGE!
Everything necessary to make this THE FIRST SALOON OF THE CITY will be at hand.
THOS HARRIS
Portland, Feb 17th, 1865 feb20dtf

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THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID IN CASH
FOR
Otter, Mink and Coon Skins.
By RICHARDS & McCRAKEN
Portland, Sept 28 1865 42m

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OF SAN FRANCISCO
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LADD & TILTON,
General Agents for Oregon and Washington Territory
Dec. 29, 1864 dtm

UNION
Insurance Company
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
Nos. 416 and 418 CALIFORNIA ST.
STOCKHOLDERS INDIVIDUALLY LIABLE

CASH CAPITAL, $760,000.
DEPOSIT IN OREGON, $50,000

Losses Promptly and Equitably Adjusted and Paid in Gold Coin.

THIS COMPANY having complied with the laws of Oregon, by making a Deposit of fifty thousand dollars is now prepared to insure against Loss or Damage by FIRE Brick Iron and Frame Buildings Merchandise, Furniture and other Insurable Property in all parts of this State.

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Portland November 16, 1865 dtf

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OPITZ & SHARF,
Corner First and Washington Streets,
Wholesale and Retail Manufacturers of
BREAD, CAKES,
Crackers,
AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.
Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched
Portland July 29th, 1865 dtf

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POWELL & COE,
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MERCHANTS,
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PARTICULAR PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO receiving and forwarding goods to all parts of the Mines in Oregon and Washington and Idaho Territories. Freights paid; Storage obtained, and all business connected with the Forwarding and Commission business promptly attended to.
Consignments of Goods solicited.

REFERENCES.
At San Francisco—Howard Glenny & Co. Richards & McCraken
At Portland—Richards & McCraken Goldsmith Bros
At Victoria, V. I.—Goldstone & Bro, Guild, David & Co
Mark Goods care of P. & C, Umatilla. ap8dtf

FLANDERS & FELTON,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WALLULA, W. T.

PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO RECEIVING and Forwarding Goods to all parts of the Mines in Washington and Idaho Territories, also to the Kootenai Mines. Freights paid and Goods stored on Consignments made to us.
All business intrusted to us promptly attended to
Mark Goods care of F. & F., Wallula

FLANDERS & FELTON
Have on hand and keep for sale a Large Assortment of
Groceries and Liquors.

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Knapp Burrell & Co Portland dtf
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GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
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ap3dly

COLUMBIA RIVER MINES!

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Forwarding and Commission Merchants
AND DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE
White Bluffs, W. T.

FREIGHT FOR COLVILLE, UPPER COLUMBIA KOOTENAI and BLACKFOOT MINES promptly forwarded.
Mark Goods B and N White Bluffs W T

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DALLES—Block Miller & Co Proach & Ollinson oc12-1m*

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DEALERS IN
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Foreign and Domestic Fruits,
NUTS OF ALL KINDS,
CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES STATIONERY CUTLERY
Yankee Notions, &c.,
FIRE CRACKERS and all kinds of FIREWORKS and South Sea Island CORAL SHELLS always on hand
Also, Miller & Chambers's FLOWER SHRUBBERY FRUIT TREES and FRUITS
Corner of Front and Washington Sts
Opposite Lincoln House Portland Oregon
P S—Orders promptly filled nov24tf

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A VERY CHOICE LOT of J. C. and Diamond H Butter. Those celebrated brands are the best that come to this market. For sale by
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN
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Wheat.

CASH PAID FOR CLEAN WHITE WHEAT at the Portland Steam Mills
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
aug2dtf

THE BANK
BRITISH COLUMBIA
Incorporated by Royal Charter
Capital - $1,250,000
Paid up in Full,
IN 12,500 SHARES OF $100 EACH,
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

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IN VANCOUVER ISLAND—VICTORIA
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NEW WESTMINSTER—Bank of British Columbia
LANGLEY—Bank of British Columbia
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MOUTH OF QUESNELLE—Bank of British Columbia
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IN SCOTLAND—British Linen Company Bank
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CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars. INTEREST allowed on Credit Balances of $1,000 and upwards.
DEPOSIT RECEIPTS bearing Interest issued for money lodged for fixed periods.
BILLS Discounted and Collected, and BILLS OF EXCHANGE on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York purchased.
DRAFTS issued on all the Branches and Agencies; and CREDITS granted on Great Britain San Francisco and New York authorizing payment for Goods shipped to Portland.
GOLD BARS PURCHASED, received on Deposit, or Advances made upon them.
EDWIN RUSSELL, Manager
Portland July 10 1865 40dtf

PORTLAND
PLUMBING, GAS & STEAM FITTING
ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 110 First Street.

ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM the East—
Cooking Ranges,
Hot Water Boilers,
Copper, Tin and Planished Bath Tubs;
Square and angular Black Walnut Counter Sunk
Marble Wash Stands;
Cold, and Hot and Cold WATER SHOWERS,
SILVER-PLATED BASIN COCKS;
MARBLE BASIN-STANDS;
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS;
HYDRAULIC RAMS
NON-FREEZING HYDRANTS;
WATER CLOSETS, &c &c

Persons wishing to introduce Cold, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental, would do well to give me a call
Portland April 3d, 1865 C. H. MYERS.

ENGINEERS AND OTHERS,
Take Notice.

JUST RECEIVED, A SMALL LOT OF THE CELEBRATED SCOTCH TUBES for Water Gauges.
Also the Largest Stock ever offered before in this city of all sizes WROUGHT IRON PIPES from ¼ to 4 inch inside diameter; BRASS COCKS, T'S, ELBOWS, RETURN BENDS, NIPPLES BUSHINGS, &c
Constantly on hand, STEAM WHISTLES, STEAM GUAGES, WATER GUAGES, GOVERNOR and STOP VALVES, THROTTLE, ANGLE and CHECK VALVES, GUAGE COCKS, AIR COCKS and all kinds of
BRASS WORK,
FOR STEAM, WATER, AND GAS.
Persons wishing any thing in the above line, will do well to examine and price my stock before sending to San Francisco
C. H. MYERS,
Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting Establishment,
ap3dtf No 110, First Street, Portland

CITY BAKERY
AND
Provision Store.
R. PITTOCK,
NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,
Opposite Lower Steamship Landing
and Corner First and Morrison Streets,
Wholesale and Retail manufacturer of
BREAD,
Butter, Water, Sugar, Boston and Soda
CRACKERS,
PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.
and all kinds of
STEAMBOAT AND SHIP STORES,
Family Groceries,
FEED, FRUITS, VEGETABLES &c., &c

Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City. Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched
The business hereafter will be conducted STRICTLY ON THE CASH PRINCIPLE.

Notice to
BREWERS & SALOON-KEEPERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND—
MALT, HOPS IRISH MOSS,
BARLEY SHOVELS, BARREL BRUSHES,
BRASS AND WOOD FAUCETS,
And all other articles for Brewer's use. Also any quantity of
WEINHARD'S LAGER BEER!
So Well and Favorably Known. All of which we are prepared to furnish at PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION
Orders will be Promptly Filled.
WEINHARD & DEFLINGER
Nov 5d 1864 d3m City Brewery, Portland Oregon

Jewelry! Jewelry!
DIRECT FROM NEW YORK!
P. G. STEWART P. S. COURLEY
STEWART & COURLEY,
Are now offering to the Public the BEST and CHEAPEST assortment of
CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
IVORY AND RUBBER SETTS,
(New Style Jewelry.)
A Large and Well select of Stock of
Silver Plated Ware;
And everything usually kept in our line of business
AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY
Particular attention paid to the REPAIRS OF FINE WATCHES and all kinds of JOB WORK. Leave no short notice by an experienced workman
Call and see for yourselves
STEWART & COURLEY
ja3dly 103 Front street Portland Oregon

C. WATERHOUSE. S. F. and Mac. J. W. LESTER N. Y.
WATERHOUSE & LESTER,
Successors to H. W. Bragg & Co
—IMPORTERS OF—
HARDWOOD LUMBER,
ALL KINDS OF
Coach, Carriage and Wagon Stock.
Yards 118 Seventh street Sacramento
20 and 21 Battery street San Francisco
nov14d-m1y

Dissolution of Copartnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the Copartnership heretofore existing under the name of H. W. BRAGG & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. Bragg having sold his entire interest to the firm of his partners, the business will be continued by the firm under the name and style of WATERHOUSE & LESTER who are authorized to collect all debts due the late firm and will settle all demands against the same.
October 30 1865
H. W. BRAGG
C. WATERHOUSE,
J. W. LESTER

DR. R. B. WILSON,
Office—No 5 Stark Street,
Residence—North Fourth street,
no10 Between Ash & C dawtf

DR. H. M'KINNEL,
HOMEOPATHIST,

THOSE DESIRING THIS MILD, EFFICIENT MEDICAL TREATMENT can consult him at his office, No 5 Stark street, fronting the Public Square. Dr. McKinnel has the unqualified endorsement of the citizens of Portland, and the unwilling public that he is now ready to receive and entertain all who may favor him with a call. TERMS TO SUIT.
The NEW COLUMBIAN is an entirely new house, has finished rooms well ventilated and well furnished, and has a capacity to accommodate (with comfort) 150 guests) six hundred people.
The DINING ROOM is large and commodious, and has fine suits of rooms with connecting doors for families.
The TABLE will be furnished with the best the market affords, permitting no house to excel it either in quality or variety.
A large fire proof Safe for the deposit of valuables—Baggage taken to the Hotel free of charge. Passengers all aboard.
Board per week $7; Board and Lodging $7 to $10.
The Proprietor will at all times endeavor to supply the guests and would respectfully and earnestly solicit the patronage of the citizens of Portland and the travelling public.
P. B. SINNOTT, Proprietor.
Portland, Oregon, August 20, 1864 1yr

DR. E. POPPLETON,
(Late of Lafayette,)
Office—Room No. 1 Vaughn's Building,
Over City of Paris Store.
RESIDENCE—Corner Madison and Ninth Streets
dec23 PORTLAND dtf

PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION CO.'S
Notice.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER notice
THE STEAMER
SENATOR
Will leave Portland for Oregon City every morning at 7 o'clock CARRYING THE U. S. MAILS.
The Steamer RELIANCE will leave Canemah every Monday and Thursday morning upon the arrival of the SENATOR from Portland for CORVALLIS and intermediate ports.
The Steamer EXPRESS will leave Everett Tuesday morning for EUGENE CITY, touching at intermediate points.
W. A. WITHERELL [Ex.] will be in attendance on the Oregon City Wharf to receipt for all freight shipped for Upper Willamette.
A. A. McCULLY
Dec 9th, 1865 —dtf President P. T. Co.

Notice.

THE WILLAMETTE STEAM NAVIGATION CO'S STEAMER
ACTIVE,
CAPT. I. T. APPERSON Master
Will leave CANEMAH every TUESDAY and FRIDAY at 10 o'clock A. M., for SALEM, ALBANY and CORVALLIS.
D. W. BURNSIDE,
Portland Dec 9 1865—tf Pres't W. S. N. Co

Notice.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE until further notice, THE STEAMER
UNION
Will leave CANEMAH every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY mornings upon the arrival of the Boat from Portland.
Returning every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, connecting with the Boats for Portland
September 7th, 1864 —tf J. D. MILLER, Master

ESTABLISHED 1851

LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Importers of Optical, Mathematical and Philosophical Instruments,
Stereoscopic Goods,
CARTES DE VISITE,
and JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS'
SUPERIOR CUTLERY.
PUBLISHERS OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF CALIFORNIA.
Nos 317 and 319 Montgomery street, between California and Pine streets, San Francisco.
And No 11 Maiden Lane, New York.

HAVE FOR SALE THE LARGEST STOCK ON THE Pacific Coast, consisting in part as follows:
72d dozen SPECTACLES, in Gold, Silver, Steel and Plated frames
396 dozen EYE GLASSES, in Gold, Silver, Steel, Horn, Shell and Rubber Frames;
150 dozen WIRE GAUGE GOGGLES
300 dozen SPECTACLE and EYE GLASS CASES
295 Opera and Marine Glasses;
75 Telescope and Spy Glasses,
225 dozen Magnifying Glasses;
80 dozen Pocket Compasses;
325 Hand Stereoscopes;
74 Revolving Stereoscopes;
1,000 dozen Stereoscopic Views,
Drawing Instruments in German Silver and Boxwood and Ivory Scales,
Microscopes in every Style;
200 Magnetic Machines for Medical purposes;
Aneroid Barometers;
20,500 Card Photographs;
600 Album Pictures in oil colors;
dozen Union Card Frames;
Joseph Rodgers & Son's CUTLERY;
100 dozen Table Knives;
200 dozen Pocket Knives;
120 dozen Razors;
50 dozen Razor Straps;
120 dozen Scissors;
SCISSORS, in Cases;
100 dozen Gymnasium Tops;
160 dozen Thermometers;
25 dozen Hydrometers;
Galvanic Batteries.
COUNTRY TRADERS will consult their own interest by examining our stock and Prices before purchasing elsewhere.
ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY EXECUTED.
CATALOGUES sent to any address. Fair Address
LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery Street,
ja30 SAN FRANCISCO dawly1y

JOHN B. MILLER,
PRACTICAL
WATCHMAKER,
106 Front Street,
One door north of Post Office in Blumbein's Music Store
PORTLAND OREGON

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE citizens of Portland and the interior towns and the country in general, that I have returned to this city and have opened my NEW STOCK with a
Very Extensive and Well Selected Assortment of
GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,
from the most Celebrated Makers,
CLOCKS OF VARIOUS STYLES,
DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, AND SILVER WARE,
All of the Latest and Most Desirable Fashions
Particular attention given to CLEANING AND REPAIRING FINE WATCHES and satisfaction guaranteed. Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired at short notice.
Orders to be left at
CHARLES BERNARD,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
FAMILY CHARTRES COFFEE,
AND SPICES OF ALL KINDS
No 707 Sansome Street, corner of Gold,
BETWEEN JACKSON AND WASHINGTON STREETS
SAN FRANCISCO
FIRST PREMIUM AWARDED
BY THE MECHANICS INSTITUTE
FOR BEST COFFEE AND SPICES.

The complete Steam Power in his Manufactory has enabled him to supply the trade with goods in general. All articles from his establishment are guaranteed to be pure and unadulterated, and the public are respectfully solicited to call and examine for themselves.
Country orders promptly attended to. no2d3m1p

HIDES & WOOL.

WILL PAY the highest CASH PRICE for Hides and Wool at RICHARDS & McCRAKEN'S
Portland, Nov 14 1865 dawly

FURS! FURS!

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR BEAVER, OTTER and MINK FURS by
jul18dawtf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN

Smoked Beef.

A FEW CASES OF EXCELLENT DRIED BEEF, ap28tf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

New Columbian,
Nos 118, 120 and 122 Front st. corner of Morrison.
GOOD NEWS!

THE NEW COLUMBIAN having just been elegantly furnished and being now ready for the reception of customers the Proprietor would say to the citizens of Portland and the travelling public that he is now ready to receive and entertain all who may favor him with a call at PRICES TO SUIT.
The NEW COLUMBIAN is an entirely new house, has finished rooms well ventilated and well furnished, and has a capacity to accommodate (with comfort) 150 guests) six hundred people.
The DINING ROOM is large and commodious, and has fine suits of rooms with connecting doors for families.
The TABLE will be furnished with the best the market affords, permitting no house to excel it either in quality or variety.
A large fire proof Safe for the deposit of valuables—Baggage taken to the Hotel free of charge. Passengers all aboard.
Board per week $7; Board and Lodging $7 to $10.
The Proprietor will at all times endeavor to supply the guests and would respectfully and earnestly solicit the patronage of the citizens of Portland and the travelling public.
P. B. SINNOTT, Proprietor.
Portland, Oregon, August 20, 1864 1yr

What Cheer House,
Front St., between Morrison and Yamhill
M. O'CONNER, Proprietor

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM HIS FRIENDS and the public generally that having invested his
NEW AND SPLENDID HOTEL,
He is now prepared to accommodate any number of persons with Board and Lodging.
Each Room is furnished with entirely NEW FURNITURE, Carpeting and French Spring Mattresses.
The Table is furnished with EVERYTHING THE MARKET AFFORDS.
The Proprietor would express himself thankful for the continued patronage of the people for years he would ask for the further patronage of the public, assuring them that no exertion or labor will be spared in making this house the most desirable and agreeable Hotel in Oregon.
Good Fire Proof Safe for keeping Treasure, Valuables, &c. The House is OPEN AT ALL HOURS.
Baggage brought from Steamers FREE OF CHARGE.
Portland, May 6 1864 d&wtf

Western Hotel,
Corner of Morrison and First streets.
PORTLAND, OREGON,
A. B. SMITH Proprietor

THIS HOTEL DURING THE LAST TWO MONTHS has been entirely repainted, refitted and enlarged by an addition of a number of new rooms and the proprietor is now at all times ready to receive additional calls from the patrons of the house, and also solicits a continuance of patronage from the travelling public.
Especial attention is called to his SUITES OF ROOMS and arrangements for the accommodation of families.
The RESTAURANT is under his immediate supervision, conducted by experts in the art *cuisine* and he flatters himself now able to gratify the tastes and wishes of all.
Hotel open at all hours.
Portland, March 1st, 1865 dtf

WASHINGTON HOTEL,
Corner Second and Alder Sts.,
PORTLAND, OREGON
JACOB KOENIG Proprietor
This Hotel is now open for the reception of Guests.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE WASHINGTON HOTEL long and favorably known to the public as the Proprietor of the New York Hotel, respectfully recommends his New Half Finished House to his numerous friends in this City and vicinity and the Atlantic States, with the assurance that nothing will be omitted on his part to render the Washington Hotel as eligible a House as any in Portland, for City Boarders, as well as for Merchants and Families from the interior. This House is located in the very heart of the Commercial part of the City, and provided with every convenience calculated to render a stay in the same convenient and comfortable. The rooms are high and airy and everything new.
The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords. sd16dtf

Mansion House,
(Formerly What Cheer House,)

THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN for the reception of guests, after being thoroughly renovated and newly furnished.

TERMS:

Board and Lodging, per week	$6 00
Board without Lodging, per week,	5 00
Board per day,	1 00
Single Meals,	50
Lodgings,	25 to 50

E. CARNEY, Proprietor
This House is conducted strictly on TEMPERANCE PRINCIPLES.
FIRE-PROOF SAFE in Office for valuables.
Baggage taken to the house free of charge.
Portland, May 10, 1864 dtf

Howard House,
Front St., near Steamboat Landing.
(Formerly kept by Jas. Going.)
MICHAEL LANE Proprietor

THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN FOR the reception of guests. It has been renovated and refurnished.

TERMS:
Board and Lodging from $5 00 to $7 00 per week.
FIRE-PROOF SAFE for Valuables, and all baggage carefully taken care of.
There is a First Class SALOON connected with the House, under the supervision of WILLIAM ENDATE.
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LINCOLN HOUSE,
Corner Washington and Front Streets,
PORTLAND OREGON

FIRST CLASS HOTEL. LARGEST IN THE STATE. Charges Reasonable.
AN OMNIBUS will attend all the Boats and convey Passengers and their baggage to the House Free of Charge, or to any other House in the City for 50 cents.
S. GOFFIN, Proprietor

P. S.—HOT AND COLD BATHS in the House.
All the Steamers for Oregon City, Vancouver, Monticello and Astoria land at the Lincoln House Wharf.
Oregon Statesman, Advocate and Dalles Mountaineer copy 3 months and send bill to Lincoln House. au30 3m

RUSS HOUSE,
San Francisco, California.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY PURchased the interest of HARDENBERGH & DYER in the above well known popular and commodious house.
The house will be under the management and control of SIMON H. SEYMOUR recently of the Cosmopolitan Hotel and H. H. PEARSON, late of the American Exchange. It will be thoroughly refitted, and in all its appointments will compare favorably with any Hotel in the State.
The proprietors by strict attention to the comfort of their guests hope to give satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage.
H. H. PEARSON & CO
San Francisco June 17th 1865 ja19 1m1p

DELMONICO RESTAURANT.

THE undersigned having purchased the above popular institution, would inform his friends and the public generally that he hopes to sustain its well known credit by keeping his table always supplied with the luxuries of the Market and having it under his own immediate supervision.

Meals at all Hours.

BOARD furnished by the day or week
Portland Nov 1 1865 —tw JOHN R. PRINDLE

PACIFIC
Hotel & Restaurant,
OLYMPIA, W. T.

THE ABOVE WELL-KNOWN AND Popular House having been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished is prepared to entertain guests in greater comfort and style than ever before, commanding manner unsurpassed by any other house in the place. Steals to be had at all hours.
Call and assure yourselves of the truth of the above.
MRS. REBECCA HOWARD
November 2 1865 6m

Sugar and Rice!

WILL BE RECEIVED IN A FEW DAYS FROM Sandwich Islands direct
1,200 bags SUGAR;
1,000 mats do
200 mats RICE,
And sold to the Trade in Quantities to suit purchasers by
Portland Dec 15 1865 dtf
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN

BROOMS, BASKETS AND PAILS.
Just Received ex Industry.
100 DOZ BROOMS
100 nests BASKETS,
100 dos PAILS
For sale in lots to suit purchasers by
ja23dtf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN

Extra No. 1 Mackerel!
70 HF BBLS AND KITS OF EXTRA NO 1 MACKEREL direct from Boston, at
ja1-dtf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN'S

Boots and Shoes,
UP STAIRS A LARGE STOCK
H. W. CORBETT

GOVERNOR BROWNLOW ON RECONSTRUCTION.—Governor Brownlow, of Tennessee has just issued an address to the Legislature of the Eastern portion of the State, urging them fully to secure their influence with their Representatives in favor of the law now before the Legislature, granting the freedmen the right of testifying in courts of justice. Though opposed to giving the right of suffrage to the colored population indiscriminately, he is still more opposed to giving it at all to the rebel portion of the population at least for the present. On the rights of the seceding States he says:

The National Government may govern the seceded States with or without the forms of State elections. If it choose to have elections, it has the right to prescribe the qualifications of electors. And it may make suffrage limited or universal. The seceded States have no such rights until they come up to the requirements of the National Government. The revolted States have destroyed their separate Governments. As communities of people as States bounded by geographical lines all having certain limits the rebel States are in the Union and they have never been out, but as governing powers they are not in the Union, for as such, to their efforts to overthrow the Union they have themselves been destroyed. And the National Government is bound, by every tie political and sacred, to hold and control the rebel States in a manner that will secure the safety of the loyal people in those States and of the whole nation. The Government cannot allow itself to be destroyed by hostile voters any more than by hostile armies.

In the Southern States the recent elections have showed that the men who had dismembered the Union most received the most votes. The repudiation of the Federal debt and the payment of the rebel debt are alike popular with the men now engaged in reorganizing the Government of the Southern States. The restoration of slavery is hoped for, and it is looked to in the voting and conversation of the original rebels.

The national Government will hold the South by military power as it ought to do, until the people have so far come to themselves as to heartily repent of the guilt and spirit of the rebellion. Every consideration affecting the interest of the country and the happiness of the generations yet unborn requires that the rebels shall not be restored to power. And if we are hearty in anything let it be in doing justice to the friends of the national Government. If we delay in anything let it be in giving pardons to leading guilty rebels and power to the organized enemies of the national Government.

The rebel clamor for the right of testifying and voting, and Union men are ready to concede the right on account of the color of their skin. One fact alone should settle the question as to the rebels—that is, for four years they did all they could to destroy the Government. For this they should not be allowed a voice in its affairs. One fact alone should settle question as to the blacks—for four years they did all they could, by giving information and fighting, to save the Government. And, but for their aid, the part they took in the rebellion would give them the right to testify and vote. The voice of prejudice says, hold them back. The voice of reason and justice says, take suffrage from the enemies of the Government, and give it to its friends. If the States will not do this Congress has the power, under the amended Constitution, to do it, and will and ought to carry it out.

THE KENTUCKY RESOLUTIONS OF '98.—A correspondent of the New York *News* gives the following bit of history regarding the origin of the famous Kentucky Resolutions of 1798, by Thomas Jefferson:

When, during the administration of John Adams, the passage of the alien and sedition laws awakened in every State the fears of patriotic men, nowhere was the belligerent excitement greater than in Kentucky, whose brave pioneers numbered among them many of the first lawyers and statesmen of the land. Mr. George Nicholas, then the head of the

The Daily Oregonian.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE

WEDNESDAY MORNING JANUARY 17, 1866.

THE UNION STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Are requested to meet at the SUPREME COURT ROOM THURSDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF FEBRUARY next. We have not been able to ascertain the exact number of votes cast in the State at the late election, but it will be about 12,000 which entitles each County to about 4 votes.

By order of the Committee
J. R. HOOKER
Chairman Union State Central Committee

Salem Oregon Jan 1st 1866.

A Pretended Discovery

The *Democrat* of Albany has the following remarks on the Constitutional Amendment which abolishes slavery

The last section of the amendment seems merely to invest Congress with the authority to enact laws to enforce the provisions of Section 1 to wit that neither slavery nor involuntary servitude except as a punishment for crime shall exist in any part of the United States Not one out of every one hundred voters who read and to read the Amendment during the many months it was before the people for consideration ever imagined that the last section was susceptible of any other construction than this we have just repeated but no sooner is the official announcement of the ratification of the Amendment made than Senator Wilson presents a carefully prepared bill in the Senate, by which the people are informed, for the first time, that the interpretation given the concluding section by the party in power is to this effect —that it empowers Congress to enforce upon all the States of the Union, without regard to the wishes, views or voice of the people of the several States, a uniform system of Negro Equality, by which the negroes are invested with every civil and political right, privilege and prerogative possessed by white citizens.

You say that this interpretation of the last section of the Constitutional Amendment—an interpretation which we may as well here say is not given by the Unionists to that measure—"was never thought of, except by the Abolitionists until after the Amendment was passed." "Mark, now how plain a tale shall put you down." You opposed the Amendment from the beginning chiefly on the ground that (as you pretended) the second section would give Congress the power to interfere with all the local affairs of the States For months you were ceaselessly proclaiming this as a reason why the Amendment should not be adopted. Now, however you have the effrontery to declare that this objection to the measure was never thought or heard of until after the Amendment was sealed as a part of our supreme law. Turn over your files and you will find that for months past you have been canting in this same absurd manner about the extraordinary powers which the last clause of this Amendment would confer on Congress As regards the assertion that Congress intends to make the negro equal to the white man —please be relieved of all fears on that score Congress does not contemplate trying to do by legislation what no amount of legislation can ever accomplish. The rules which regulate society are independent of any laws Congress can make The Albany editor ought to have learned that, by observing the associations of the Five Points "De Morracy," and by reflecting that that delectable riff-raff are always left to choose their own company without the least interference on the part of Congress or of any law-making power.

Before the final adoption of the Amendment the *Democrat* and its party told us that under the proposed measure Congress would have power to grant suffrage to the blacks. Does the *Democrat* still adhere to that opinion? Not at all. The "Democracy" was never known to be consistent in anything except in its support of slavery and the resolutions of '98; and even these monstrous things it never has supported by consistent arguments.

The Troops Withdrawn

Not long ago all colored troops in the interior of the Southern States were withdrawn, because, forsooth, their presence was very offensive to the chivalry! Of course, whatever chivalry demand, we must, in a spirit of conciliation and magnanimity, immediately grant. Hence all our white soldiers are now to be withdrawn from the South An order has been issued by the Executive to that effect, and the government of the Southern States is now again completely in the hands of the same men who less than a year ago led the rebel armies or held high places in the civil government of the rebellious Confederacy. So, we suppose, "reconstruction" may be regarded as complete The loyal people of the country cannot, however, but inquire what has been gained by turning out one set of rebel officials and installing another. This, and nothing else, is what hasty "reconstruction" has done. The withdrawal of the troops now leaves the direction of the affairs of State government, solely with the leaders of the late rebellion. Southern loyalists, white and black, are forgotten They are left as completely in the power of their old rulers as they were before the close of the war. Petitions have lately been sent to the President from different parts of the South, imploring him not to recall the army, General Schurz and General Grant himself, but lately reported that it would be highly dangerous to withdraw the troops. Yet it has been done. The rebels have at last obtained what they so anxiously wanted Of course, they will rejoice in being "let alone" They now have an opportunity to renew the persecution of their loyal neighbors. All deterrent in Success being removed, they can now do with impunity what they were a while ago restrained from through a salutary fear of punishment The South is once more entirely in the hands of the rebellious classes. Can any one in his sober senses fail to have misgivings about the result of this too clement policy?

CITY OFFICERS OF CORVALLIS —The Corvallis *Gazette* says that the Copperheads elected their ticket at the election on Monday of last week, the Councilmen by a majority of from one to seven, and Mayor by a majority of eleven. Last year they elected a Mayor by a majority of forty-three, which shows a Union gain of twenty three votes where the entire vote cast is only one hundred and sixty-nine. The following are the officers elected Mayor, Benjamin Pitbean Recorder W H Johnson, Marshal, M H Bell, Treasurer, Wm Fliedner, Councilman, 1st Ward John Burnett, W P. Dyer, 2d Ward, Robert Lipscomb, W B Hamilton; 3d Ward, Charles Gaylord, Levi Russell

A PARALLEL.—The saying we so often hear "It's unconstitutional to hold the Southern States as conquered provinces is paralleled exactly by the declaration which was so often screamed in our ears some time ago "It is unconstitutional to coerce a sovereign State" It is constitutional to do whatever the public safety requires, and nothing less than a crime to omit anything which can promote it. Therefore it is not only constitutional to hold the late rebel States in military subjection, but it is the duty of the Government to do it

The *Confederate Democrat* advises its friends not to send their children to "Abolition schools Doesn't the *Democrat* know that common schools are entirely an 'Abolition' institution, and that the young heirs of the "Democracy" must go to them, or remain as ignorant as their fathers? The *Democrat* ought to be aware that the coming generation of Copperheads can't all go to Washington College, Virginia to receive instruction from that sterling 'Democrat General Lee

The treasury officials have deducted the late President's salary for the month of March from the sum awarded by Congress to Mrs Lincoln. A rare example of the generosity of those officials is found in their deduction for the first half of the month of April Of such pitiful niggardliness the country ought to be heartily ashamed.

Report of the Postmaster General

The report of Hon William Dennison, Postmaster General states that the revenues of that department for the year ending June 30 1865 were $11 156 0 and the expenditures $11 661, 2 leaving a deficit of $501 130 42

The ratio of increase of revenue was 17 per cent and of expenditure 8 per cent, compared with the previous year

The profits of the revenues accumulated in delivery and mail offices under the supervision of the Finance office of the department, was $7 110, 024 16 of which by the Auditor $2,329,8 0 49 and retained by postmasters exceeded $ 000 91

ESTIMATES FOR 1867

The estimated expenditures for the year ending June 30 1867 in	$16,478 000
The revenue for that fiscal year is estimated at	15 773
Amount required by appropriation of the receipts in 1868 from	700 000
Making a deficiency of	707 45
But this deficiency of special appropriations will be reduced as the standing appropriations for the service under acts of March 3 1847 and March 3 1851 amounting to $1 120 000 are now ended It will consequently however be made special appropriations in the treasury for steamship service between San Francisco, Japan and China for six months from January 1 to June 30 1867	$560,000
Also for steamship service between the United States and Brazil for eight months of the current year commencing November 1	100 000
And the whole of next year	150,000

The number of postage stamps issued during the year was 587,419 465 representing $12,009 787 00
Stamped envelopes, 25 040 426 representing 624 136 00
Stamped wrappers 1 168,780, representing 21 315 00

Making in all 12 847 487 50
An increase of $1 373 168 over the previous year The amount sold was $11 409 747 85 being $1,625,136 25 more than the previous year

New stamps have been adopted of the denominations of 5, 10 and 15 cents for prepaying postage on packages of newspapers forwarded by publishers or newsdealers

From January 1, 1841 to June 30, 1865, the aggregate receipts of the Post Office Department were $280,311,894 47 and the aggregate expenditures $214,248,881 50, showing a deficit of $33, 470,987 12; an average deficit of $1,268,028 61 per annum

THE WORK OF 1865

The mail service in operation on 30th June, 1865 embraced 6012 routes, of the aggregate length of 142,340 miles, costing $6,246,884 (exclusive of compensation to route and other agents, amounting to $ 56,066 75)

Railroad 23 401 miles costing	$2 707,421 00
Steamboat, 13,068 costing	359 503 00
Celerity, &c	2,179,895 00

The aggregate miles of transportation were 57, 993,494

Railroad	24 097 568
Steamboat	2,444 066
Celerity, &c	1,451,430

The cost per mile, for transportation by mail was 11¼ cents; steamboat 14¼ cents, celerity, etc , 10 cents.

The increased length of routes was 3,138 miles, of transportation 1,678,137 , and of cost, $428 416

Until September 15th, 1864, the service on the Lincoln and Portland route was performed by the California Stage Company at the rate of $90,000 per annum That contract having expired and no other parties offering to perform the service, the Department made a contract with the same parties for another year for $250,000 When that term expired the Company wanted $300,000 per annum, but their offer was declined and arrangements were made with responsible parties to carry the mail at $226,000 per annum until June 30th, 1866 after which it is hoped the service will be performed at more reasonable rates

The overland mail service has been well performed on the Western division, while on the Eastern portion it has been more or less irregular, owing to high water, bad roads and Indian hostilities

The number of routes ordered into operation in States lately in rebellion is 241 their length 18 640½ miles, and compensation $721,949 a reduction, compared with former cost of service in those States, $491,100 per annum This, however, results in part from reduced service, which, if restored to the standard of frequency previous to the war, on the present rates of pay, the cost would be—

For railroad service $550,085, instead of $389, 105 per annum.

For "star" service $266,848, instead of $820,- 025 per annum

For steamboat service, which having been increased, estimated at former number of trips, is $65,565, instead of $293,565 per annum, making the aggregate pay pro rata for all the service $889,402 instead of $1,008,058 per annum; showing an aggregate decrease pro rata of $7,22,656 per annum.

THE FOREIGN MAILS.

The general results of the foreign mail service are as follows:

The aggregate postage, sea, inland, and foreign upon the correspondence exchanged with foreign countries, amounted to $1,820,228 56, of which amount $,449, 530 78 accrued on the mails exchanged with Great Britain, France, Prussia, Bremen, Hamburg, and Belgium; $276,197 00 on the mails exchanged with the British North American Provinces and $95,290 74 on the mails transmitted to and from the West Indies, Central and South America

The amount of the United States postage, sea and inland, were

On the correspondence exchanged with Great Britain and the continent of Europe	$670,156 81
The British North American Provinces	262,486 28
And on West Indies, Central and South America	95,200 74
	$927,842 83

The cost of the United States transatlantic service performed by steamships receiving the sea postage only was $106,479 56 Of this amount $213,330 23 was earned by the New York, Queenstown and Liverpool (Dale) line; $71 106 70 by the Canadian line; $75,273 11 by the New York, Southampton and Bremen, and $47,709 52 by the New York, Southampton and Hamburg lines, respectively

The cost of the ocean transportation of mails to and from West India ports by United States steamers receiving different rates of compensation within the limit of the postages, was $50,553 90, being $22,178 05 less than the total postages on the mails conveyed And $14,091 62 was paid for the sea and Isthmus conveyance of the correspondence with Central and South America

The excess of collections in this country over the postage collected abroad, upon the correspondence exchanged with Great Britain and the continent of Europe was 411,552 32, causing balances against this Department on settlement, of the quarterly accounts with the respective post departments, amounting to $232,249 55

No progress has been made in the negotiations of postal conventions with European powers on the basis of the resolutions adopted and at the Paris international postal conference, but arrangements have been agreed upon with Venezuela and the United States of Columbia, adopting the principal recommendations of the Paris conference

Additional articles to the United States and British postal convention have been executed, constituting Baltimore a new office of exchange in the side of the United States

The service to Brazil, authorized by act of May 28 1864, has been put into operation, the first steamship having left New York with the mail for Brazil on the 30th of October last

The contract for the mail steamship service to Japan and China was awarded to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, whose bid for the required service at the sum of $500 000 for twelve round trips per annum, between San Francisco and Hong Kong touching on the outward and homeward passages to land and receive mails, at the port of Honolulu, in the Sandwich Islands and the port of Kanagawa, in Japan, was the only one received The Company are to build four first class sea going steamships, of from 3500 to 4000 tons burden each, Government measurement, and commence the service on or before the first of January 1867

By existing law no provision is made for compensating sailing vessels conveying the mails to foreign ports It is recommended that authority be given to the Postmaster General to allow such vessels so employed compensation not to exceed the sea postage

THE POLICY OF GRANTING SUBSIDIES

The Postmaster General discusses at some length the policy of the Government in respect to ocean mail service and objects to any charge by the granting of subsidies, except as inducement at first to retain classes of new routes, like those of Brazil and China In 1848 a law was enacted limiting the compensation of the sea and United States inland postage when the conveyance is by an American and to the sea postage only when by a foreign vessel Under this arrangement in 1859 American steamers received $199,261, averaging $7,663 , and foreign steamers employed as United States mail packets $125, 149, averaging $4730 17 per trip

In 1860 American steamers received $228 149, averaging $7004 and foreign steamers $117,695, averaging $2,828 per trip

In 1861 American steamers received $1o7 174, averaging $6 841 and foreign steamers $2 5,713, averaging $2 740 per trip

In 1862 American steamers received $3d 599, averaging $ 1 84 , and foreign steamers $29 ,884, averaging $2,094 per trip

In 1863 it had fallen to the sea postage only, the service having been performed entirely in foreign vessels and the average cost per trip had increased to $ 3,

The annual subsidy paid by the British Government to the Cunard line is $ 4 the Inman line $ 1 and to various ocean steamers which are subsidized by the Government of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Canada, $ 1 per year or $1 50,000 with this country there would be retained by the Government, it will be seen that the actual bonus paid to that line would be $

NEW OFFICES OPENED

The total number of post offices established since June 30 1865 including supplementary offices in the Southern States, was 1 the last year 388 offices were established in the United States 5 postmasters reappointed 1 were removed and 1 died

The free delivery system has been discontinued at 2 of the smaller offices and in 1 addition in 1 of the principal offices The number of carriers employed is now 7 at an aggregate compensation of $118 664 51

The attention of the department has been again called to the subject of erecting new post office buildings, in the city of New York and the necessity is recommended to the favorable consideration of Congress

DEAD LETTERS

The number of dead letters received examined and disposed of was 4 08,087 an increase of 539 462 over the previous year The number containing money and returned to owners was 12 1 with inclosures amounting to $ 15 4 3 The number of letters containing other articles of value sent to the dead letter office was 1o 101, with a reported value of $2 329 888 of which sum or articles of the value of $1 2 4 119 were delivered to the owners the number of unpaid and unadvertised letters was 160,315 and of registered letters and packages 4,966

RECOMMENDATIONS

The existing system of receiving prepaid letters to the owner free of postage is again recommended to Congress with the additional suggestion that letters to be called for at the request of the party addressed from one post office to another without extra charge

A repeal of the law requiring the list of letters to be published in newspapers of the largest circulation is recommended that the mode of advertising may be left to the discretion of the Postmaster General

THE MONEY ORDER SYSTEM

The number of offices where the "money order" system is in operation is 419 and orders have been issued for putting in operation forty five additional offices The number of orders issued during the year was 74 277 of the value of $1,160, 152 52 The receipts were $11, 36 40, and the expenditures $1, 584 17 It is recommended that the maximum amount be increased to $10 and that the time within which orders may be paid be extended to SIX months

CLAIMS AND DEBTS IN THE REBEL STATES

It is admitted that the claims of contractors and others residing in the Southern States, for services previous to the rebellion amount to a little more than one million of dollars Many of these claims have been presented but none paid, under a rule adopted early in the war, if not paying claims of parties known to have been engaged in the rebellion. Balances were due from Southern postmasters amounting to $389 027 87 few of which have been paid Means are being employed through Courts and other agencies, to collect the amounts due to the Government.

MISCELLANEOUS

Although in view of the financial wants of the Government and the large demand for postal expenditures in the Southern States, this Department could but deem unwise any present reduction of domestic postage, it perceives no reason why, in a few years a reduction may not be made to the maximum letter rate adopted by Great Britain with such beneficent results. Moreover, the hope is indulged that the experience of European Governments will concur with that of this in favor of an early reduction of the present high rates of international postage, disproportioned to the necessary cost of the intermediate land and ocean transportation, and serious obstacles to postal intercourse, commercial and social, between this country and all parts of Europe

Among the many remarkable facts illustrating the progress of the people of the loyal States, during the rebellion, in almost every department of material development and social advancement, that of the increase of postal correspondence, as shown by the postal revenue, is not the least interesting and suggestive. The maximum annual receipts of this department previous to the rebellion from all the States was $8,618,967 40, which was exceeded in the sum of $6,038,091 30 by the receipts of the last year from the loyal States alone. The revenues during the past four years amounted to $40,458 023 97, an average of $11 114 75 per annum Compared with the receipts of the four years immediately preceding, which amounted to $32,422,640 77, the annual average increase of revenue was $6,653,845 56, which has not resulted from any considerable additions to the service, the ratio of receipts to expenditure having been larger than, with few exceptions, at any previous period

The ability of the department to perform its mission as the postal agent of the Government is greatly impaired by the burdens imposed by the franking privilege and expensive service upon routes established for other than postal purposes, the receipts from which are largely unremunerative. It is estimated that from these two causes not less than two millions of dollars per annum are lost to the department

FROM OWYHEE —The Owyhee *Avalanche* of December 2d, contains the following

There has been another diamond district located in the foot hills adjacent to the other laws passed and a Recorder elected, but we have been unable so far, either to get the laws for publication or hear the name of the Recorder The boys who come in from that section feel confident they have got em, and, as a consequence, diamond stock has more bulls than bears By the by, wouldn't this be a good place for a lapidary to take up his abode, and wouldn't he likely to be benefited in diamond prospectors and find it profitable to himself?

On the eve of going to press we have come in possession of a first class Indian item During the latter part of last week a raid was made on the Malheur River, and 270 to 400 head of cattle, mules, horses—in fact all the stock on the river—was driven off At last accounts forty were in pursuit—with what success, we've not learned

Will the military authorities never wake up? Do they want to protect a savage infested country? In short gentlemen in blue, are you worth a damn to this country? If not, won't you consent to die and rid the earth of useless cumberers? If you will, we'll consent to write you a pretty obituary, one that will tickle your friends

The Walla Walla *Statesman* of the 5th instant gives the following

Mr Edgar, of Wells, Fargo & Co 's express on his last trip from Boise, reports having passed Capt. Borland's company, Oregon volunteers, on their way to Auburn, where they proposed to go into winter quarters seventeen men of the command had been frozen—some of them so badly that it is feared they will lose their feet One man who had been drunk and laid out over night, was frozen up to his knees, and is likely to lose both legs All the men in the company had suffered terribly and many of them are ruined for life

Further just in, informs us that the road to Boise is lined with deserted wagons Teamsters when overtaken by the storm cut loose their animals and fled for safety Much of the stock on the road is in poor condition and very many of the teamsters will lose their entire teams The failure of so many teams to get through will cause a scarcity in the basin in some descriptions of merchandise Already coal oil is in short supply and the price had gone up to $2 50 per gallon

A Washington dispatch of Jan 3d says

The Oregon Congressional delegation recently informed the Secretary of the Interior that the Indian reservation in that State is unnecessarily large, and that by reason of it, access to the harbor of Aquina Bay by numerous settlers in the valley of the Willamette is prevented They ask for the curtailment of this reservation so as to open to the inhabitants of that valley much need of access to to the coast and for the purpose proposed a small and rugged portion of the reservation in the vicinity of Aquina Bay not used by the Indians, shall be released and the whole open to occupation and use by settlers The Secretary of the Interior after having fully examined the facts of the case and referred the papers to President Johnson who sustained the order has been pencilled declaring that the right of ground is set apart for the Indians is null

Judge McBride of Idaho favored us with a call yesterday He starts for Auburn to day and proceeds from that place to San Francisco by the ocean steamer continuing his journey thence to New York It is his purpose to return overland to Idaho in May next

McDougall of California and Saulsbury, of Delaware have no place on any of the Senate Committees The former is a drunk for business, and the latter is a disloyal

THE WEATHER —Parties coming in from the mines inform us that on Grand Ronde Valley and through the Blue, the winter has been terribly severe —H B *Statesman*

OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

THE STEAMERS

"NEW WORLD,"

—OR—

CASCADE,

CAPT JOHN WOLFF Commander

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[illegible] —The latest [illegible] from the King County Immigration Union, was [illegible] Mr. Meeker had nearly [illegible] listed his arrangements [illegible] thing about two hundred young women into [illegible] Territory, and it was expected that they would [illegible] a short time. The letter from which the above [illegible] bears date, De[illegible]mber 10th, and the writer was [illegible] the approb[illegible] that Mercer was getting wild.

[illegible] Card Stand Wagon.—[illegible]rsell & Whitney, [illegible]t and 113 Fulton street, New York, have [illegible] a two cent stamp in sending us a propelling [illegible] for them to the amount of about $40, receiving [illegible] pay two [illegible] of a cheap, trashy paper one year. [illegible] you are respectfully but [illegible] decidedly declined.

[illegible] A batch of sports were arrested and [illegible] by the Recorder yesterday, for having indul[illegible] in the exc[illegible] Henry Swift and J. B. [illegible] were the two most unhappy, they being sent to [illegible] for [illegible] days each, in accordance [illegible] in the case.

[illegible] —The snow storm [illegible] fairly [illegible] the [illegible] very much in the [illegible] like a twelfth [illegible] at o'clock P. M., Tuesday was the only [illegible] Pacific coast in communication with Portland [illegible] The line worked badly to that month in [illegible]

[illegible] still in advance [illegible] the quantities yesterday [illegible] the vicinity of Portland. At one time the air [illegible] filled with flakes that it was impossible to see [illegible] the river. Ten inches had fallen before dark. [illegible] the weather had turned to raining.

[illegible] —The bark *W. B. Scranton*, Caldwell [illegible] cleared this morning for San Francisco, taking a [illegible] of [illegible] cigars and nearly a full cargo of produce, [illegible] by sundry.

[illegible] —The high tides of yesterday, it [illegible] be hoped, would be hardly if not quite, [illegible] that the *Morris Mihado* front her unpleasant [illegible]

[illegible] —The office of the "Potosi of Idaho" gold and silver mining company has been removed to the [illegible] of Mr. A. H. Richardson, corner of Oak and Front [illegible]

[illegible] Steamer.—The steamer *Active* which [illegible] recently for Victoria, called at Vancouver and took [illegible] for the Puget Sound country

[illegible] Agent.—Mr. Brooks, Postal Agent for Oregon [illegible] has an office in Carter's Block, the prettiest [illegible] building, for the transaction of business per[illegible] to his appointment.

[illegible] Steamer.—This famous horse will be disposed [illegible] at auction, by Mr Richardson, on the 7th of next [illegible]

[illegible] Excursion.—The People's Transportation [illegible] have reduced the price of freight on the Wil[illegible] ette, as will be seen by advertisement.

[illegible] Steamer.—The steamship *Active* left for Victoria yester[illegible] morning, with a small cargo and few p[illegible] sengers

[illegible] Failures.—It is said that the Bank of Califor[illegible] will lose half a million of dollars by the de[illegible] of the Nevada Supreme Court, in declaring [illegible] the Contract Act in conflict with the Act [illegible] This is the *Flag's* estimate. The [illegible] says:

The inhabitants of California first met heavy [illegible] on joint stock incorporations for working [illegible] mines. Then they were swindled out of [illegible] sums of money by operators, but Nevada [illegible] will to blame for this, for the most of these [illegible] were originally from California. And now [illegible] the loss is threatened, but it is believed that [illegible] instance, looking at the matter in its worst [illegible] $260,000 will cover all, a sum which will [illegible] likely to affect any capitalists in San [illegible] seriously.

[illegible] following is said to be the private receipt [illegible] a Justice editor—but we don't believe it:

[illegible] one pint of whisky, stir it well with [illegible] handful of whisky; then add another pint of [illegible]—beat carefully with a spoon and keep [illegible] in whisky. Fill a large bowl with water [illegible] and place the servants set it out of your reach [illegible] a full tumbler, pour in two spoonsful of [illegible] pour out the water and fill up with whisky [illegible] to the above, flavor with whisky to your [illegible] and dose three fingers' weary half hour [illegible]

[illegible] Speech.—Schuyler Colfax is highly [illegible] throughout the North, for the sensi[illegible] words he has expressed in his late speech. Sensible [illegible] has added his compliments in a letter, [illegible] which he says that "Although not going as [illegible] he, (Sumner) does, there is the ring of true [illegible] in his words." The Union League at Rich[illegible] at a meeting passed resolutions indorsing [illegible] act.

[illegible] Richardson, editor of the Albany *Journal* [illegible] appointed by the Union Committee of [illegible] to fill the vacancy of that county on the [illegible] National Committee

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHED TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DATES TO JANUARY 13.

Arrival of California Passengers at New York.

NEW YORK, Jan 11—At New York Jan 11th the steamer *Northern Light* from Graytown the 1st, with California passengers who left San Francisco Dec 14th, arrived.

New York, Jan 11—The steamer New York from Aspinwall to 10th inst

Arms for Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Jan 5—In the Senate to day a resolution was adopted calling upon the President for information in relation to an order for the military commander in California forbidding the exportation of arms and ammunition over the frontiers, and whether such order was not in violation of our neutrality towards Mexico

Ship Canal Around Niagara.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan 11—Horace H Day addressed a special meeting of the Board of Trade in a lengthy speech this afternoon. Resolutions were adopted in favor of a ship Canal, during the practicability of Day's scheme, and declaring that it presents many features entitling the far reaching consideration of the Commissioners appointed to confer with other boards

General Sweeny—Troops Ordered from the South.

NEW YORK, Jan 11—The *Commercial's* Washington special correspondent says that a probably unsuccessful appeal has been made for the restoration of General Sweeny, Fenian commander in chief, to his position in the regular service

Gen Grant, under orders from the President is withdrawing all the troops from the Southern States except garrisons at important points

Our Relations with Europe

NEW YORK, Jan 11—Official dispatches from United States agents abroad, received at the State Department by the last steamer from Europe are favorable to American interests. The plans for the extension of European influence on our continent have received a death blow by the restoration of the Union

It is expected the Mexican difficulty will be solved by the withdrawal of all the French troops, of which there are increasing indications that there are grounds for believing that the State Department at Washington and the French Government have an understanding upon the subject, which is said to date previous to the termination of the civil war

Steamer Lost.

NEW YORK, Jan 11—Full particulars of the loss of steamer *Very A Burn* show that two pilots Henry Squire and Stephen H Jones, behaved in a heroic manner hazarding their lives in a small rowboat to save the passengers Great credit is given Capt Bird, of the steamer *Charles Chamberlain*, and his crew in their effort to save the crew and passengers of the *Boardman*, for by their heroic exertions the passengers were safely

Funeral of R. B Mintorn.

NEW YORK, Jan 13—The funeral obsequies of the late Robert B Mintorn took place in Brooklyn to-day.

The Case Against Secretary Stanton.

NEW YORK, Jan 13—The Court has denied the motion to strike out the justifying plea of the answer in case by Joseph H Madox against Secretary Stanton

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan 13—The *Commercial's* special says: The stock market shows a slight recovery from yesterday. Shipments of specie to-day amounts to $363,260, viz: $212,260 per the *Hermann* and $151,000 per the *City of London* Total shipments from New York will be about $5,000,000 Money is very abundant, and idle balances are hawked round the street at 5 per cent The prevailing rate to brokers is still 6 per cent Discount is active on premium bills at 5 per cent, but lower grades are still shunned by brokers Nominal transactions towards the close of business yesterday were large at 1077 and 109 for sterling, which are the quotations this morning.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13—Gold was quoted this p m at 139¾

Within the last three days twelve pickpockets have been arrested

General News.

Examination of Robert Martin, alleged confederate of Kennedy, was before the United States Court In the case of the Merchants' Bank against Windsor, the Court granted a motion to make a supplementary answer setting up the fact that Windsor was satisfied on an execution from England

The Judges of the Supreme Court are in consultation to-day, on the Constitutionality of the test oath, about which there is a difference of opinion.

It is certain that Secretary McCulloch's finance bill will be amended before its passage

Report of the Secretary of the Navy.

The report of Hon Gideon Welles, Secretary of the Navy, begins with a history of naval operations from the capture of Fort Fisher till the termination of the war, but no facts of importance are stated, not already in the possession of the public. Immediately after the fall of Fort Fisher, measures were taken for the gradual reduction of the naval forces employed on the blockade, and the subsequent successes of our arms were followed by a rapid diminution of the number of ships, so that there are now in commission, at home and abroad, only one hundred and seventeen vessels of all descriptions; Of these, seven are in the European squadron, under Rear Admiral L M Goldsborough; ten in the Brazil and African squadron, under Acting Rear Admiral S W. Gordon; five in the East India squadron, under Acting Rear Admiral H H Bell, and eleven in the Pacific squadron, under Acting Rear Admiral George F. Pearson. These squadrons, with another of nine vessels soon to be put in operation in the West Indies, under Commodore James R. Palmer, are considered sufficient for the encouragement and protection of our countrymen engaged in legislative commercial pursuits, and for upholding our flag abroad.

Since the 4th of March, 1861, 418 vessels have been purchased for the navy at a cost of $18,066,831.83, and of these 340 have been sold, for which the Government has received $5,021 609 27 Five hundred and eight vessels have been commissioned and most of them fitted for service in this period A few of the larger ones will require still further time for completion. From 7,600 men in the naval service at the commencement of the rebellion, the number was increased to 51,500 at its close In addition to these the aggregate of artisans and laborers employed in navy yards was 16,880 in excess of 4,844 previously in the pay of the government.

The Secretary evidently considers the enlargement of the navy yards a subject of special importance. He says not one of them presents the full requisite conveniences and facilities for promptly fitting out in an efficient manner more than a single vessel at a time Vessels which ought to be repaired in three months, are often detained for a year There is not a public yard where an iron vessel can be constructed, an iron plate made, or where shafting can be forged, or steam machinery manufactured, except on a moderate scale; nor, with the exception of Mare Island, California and Norfolk, have we a navy yard with sufficient room to erect the necessary works for even present wants. England, besides her great public navy yards, with which we can bear no comparison, possesses several private establishments, to each of which there are more mechanical appliances than are possessed by our whole country The immediate, indispensible and truly economical remedy for all this disadvantage is to enlarge the navy yards at Boston and New York, to complete the yard at Mare Island, on the Pacific, to build those of Norfolk and Pensacola, and sell the present restricted grounds at Philadelphia after establishing a yard of sufficient capacity at League Island, or some other proper location on the Delaware There are serious objections to the yard at Kittery as a naval station, on account of its proximity to the ocean but if it is to be continued, the proposed acquisition of Seavey's Island should be carried into effect

Of the monitor class of vessels, the Secretary says they stand as the undoubted and best defence of our shores against any naval armament in existence Several light draught vessels of this class drawing but eight feet of water have undertaken a sea voyage with entire safety, and one made a voyage from Boston to Charleston South Carolina, where she is stationed and performs with entire satisfaction all the duties required of her The accompanying report of the chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery gives some interesting and extraordinary facts and statistics concerning the comparative healthiness of iron clads and wooden vessels, from which it appears there was less sickness on board the monitors than on the wooden ships with an equal number of men and in equally exposed positions

A change in the locality of the Naval Academy is recommended to some point on the Chesapeake Bay, removed from the city and where more ample accommodations may be secured The expediency of appointing one half the midshipmen from the enlisted apprentices, instead of from Congressional districts, is also suggested.

The law of Congress that "the hours of labor and the rate of wages of the employees in the navy yards shall conform with those in private establishments," is said to be a source of dissatisfaction and discontent and its repeal is recommended Other abuses in the yards have been done away by discontinuing the office of "navy agent," and prohibiting the assessment formerly levied for electioneering purposes

The number of vessels captured and sent to the Courts for adjudication from May 1, 1861 to the close of the rebellion, was 1,141, valued at not less than $21,500 000, and 324 vessels valued at $6,000 000 were destroyed making a total value of not less than $10 500 000 in which was British property Thirty-six vessels thereby captured in the blockade and not finally prize to the first of November, was 1218 to 618 96, cost and expenses $1 615 227 96 and proceeds for distribution $20,491,827 69

Various recommendations are made in the interests, the pay of naval officers

The total expenses of the department for the fiscal year ending June 30 1865 were $213 170 900 68—an average annual expenditure of $71,500 900 94 The estimates for the year ending June 30 1867 amount to $74 982 457 50 which includes $5 000 000 for the creation of branches, purchase of land and other improvements of a permanent character

In describing the operations of the rebel English cruisers *Sumpter* and *Shenandoah*, the Secretary says he was informed in an official communication that the crew of the latter were all British subjects that many of them belonged to the Royal Naval Reserve and that some forty or fifty of the *Alabama's* men were among them

The opinion is expressed that the act of Congress March 3d, 1865, "to incorporate a national military and naval asylum," should it ever go into effect will be likely to operate injuriously to the naval service The tastes and pursuits of the sailor and soldier are so dissimilar that they can scarcely be made to harmonize It is suggested that a home be established for sailors exclusively and that the present grounds and buildings of the Naval Academy at Annapolis could at slight expense be converted to this purpose

On the 1st of November, 1865 the naval pension roll included 2 927 persons, receiving $248, 122 50 being an increase during the year of 118 persons receiving pensions amounting to $ 8 560 40 Attention is called to an unjust discrimination against pensioners who have lost both hands or feet or both eyes in the naval service The law gives increased pensions for such injuries in the military service, but has been construed so as not to include those in the navy There are also several grades of naval officers for whom no provision is made

The accompanying reports of the Chief of the various Bureaus present some interesting details in addition to the general statements of the Secretary's report. The number of seamen enlisted in the navy from the 4th of March, 1861 to the 1st of May, 1865, was 118,044 The Chief of the Ordnance Bureau recommends a course of experiments with torpedoes, and to establish a corps of operators for future service The total number of casualties in the navy during the war was 3,220—1,466 killed, 1,308 wounded, and 176 missing

LAW VS GOWN.—One of the Judges of the Freedmen's Court, Richmond, remarked to a lawyer who carried the other day five law books with him to that tribunal in order to back up his case with pertinent authorities "I am astonished at you sir; you come here with law books and talk about law; they are of no account sir; all we want in this court is the Bible" The lawyer lost his case, and will never again be guilty of taking a law book to the Freedmen's Court.—*Queen Head Exchange*

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Thermometer northern exposure in the shade

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M	Wind	Sky
Monday 8th	19°	42	14	N E	Clear
Tuesday, 9th	36	43	32		
Wednesday 10th	20	30	12	N	
Thursday 11th	29	44	31	"	
Friday 12th	30	46	31	"	
Saturday 13th	27	35	30	"	
Sunday 14th	26	46	40	S E	Rainy

NOTE—Mean temperature of the week 30° 57' Rain 1

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" " " Ruby City, Owyhee		60 "

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Portland Jan 16th 1866 dtf

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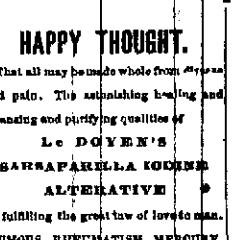

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And I hear the grass grow soft and slow
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Rose when you list, for I still hearing,
My heart awakes at the 3d I wood sound
And beats to the step that's nearing.

Bright shine the moon and the sun when you came,
Still fast I rest and less feeling—
The still a true entrepreneur I low the flame
Of love dies while I'm resting.

The lily may fade the falling tear
The flower may wither and die
And I know the cold still those while they are
There's one who will think of me.

O softly sigh for I hear the wind,
And believe me over your sorrow,
Hot tears shine in the myrtle and mind,
I'll give it back to morrow.

Whisper no Love as in moments fled,
While I from your hand have taketh,
For the tone speaks false that says she is dead
I sleep but my heart awaketh

Seward's Account of the Attack upon Him.

The American correspondent of the London *Spectator* writes that he recently heard Secretary Seward and Frederick Seward give the following account of their own sensations at the time of the attempted assassination:

Frederick Seward said that on stepping from his bed room into the passage and seeing the assassin he merely wondered what he was doing there, and called him to account. On his resisting the fellow's endeavor to press into Secretary Seward's room the assassin drew a revolver which he presented at Frederick Seward's head. What followed, it must be remembered, took place in a few seconds. Frederick Seward's first thought was, "That's a navy revolver!" The man pulled the trigger, but it only snapped, and his intended victim thought, "That cap missed fire".

His next sensation was that of confusion, and being upon the floor, resting upon his right arm which, like his father's jaw, has barely recovered from a bad fracture—the assassin had felled him to the floor with the butt of the pistol—he put his hand to his head, and finding a hole there he thought, "That cap did not miss fire after all". Then he became insensible, and remained so for two days and more. His first indication of returning consciousness was the question "Have you got the ball out?" After which he fell off again into a comatose condition, which was of long continuance. On the very afternoon of the day when Lincoln was assassinated, Frederick Seward, who was Assistant Secretary of State, had asked his father what preparation should be made for the presentation of Sir Frederick Bruce, which was to take place the next day. Seward gave him the points of a reply to be made to Sir Frederick, and he laid the outline of the speech upon the President's table; and, as I have previously informed my readers, Lincoln that afternoon wrote out the reply, adopting Seward's suggestions, and thus preparing that reception of the British Minister by President Johnson, which was regarded at the time by the people to whose representatives it was addressed, as so friendly and fair, and dignified.

Frederick Seward's first inquiry after he came fully to his senses, which was a long time after the assassination, was: "Has Sir Frederick Bruce been presented?" He thought that only one night had passed since he knew not what had happened to him, and his mind took up matters just where it had left them. Seward's mental experience during his supposed assassination was in its nature so like that of his son that it raises the question whether this absence of consternation and observation of minute particulars is not common in circumstances of unexpected and not fully apprehended peril. Seward was lying upon his side, close to the edge of the bed, with his head resting in a frame, which had been made to give him ease and to protect his broken jaw from pressure. He was trying to keep awake, having been seized upon by a sick man's fancy—it was that if he slept he would wake up with lockjaw. He was brought to full consciousness by the sudden, in the passage-way, followed by the entrance of the assassin, and the cry of Miss Seward, "Oh! he will kill my father!" But he saw nothing of the assassin until a hand appeared above his face, and then his thought was, "What handsome cloth that overcoat is made of!" The assassin's face then appeared, and the helpless statesman only thought "What a handsome man!" (Payne was a fine looking fellow.)

Then came a sensation as of rain striking him smartly upon one side of his face and neck, then quickly the same upon the other side, but he felt no severe pain. This was the assassin's knife. The blood spouted, he thought "My time has come," and falling from the bed to the floor, fainted. His first sensation of returning consciousness was that he was drinking tea, and that it tasted good." Mrs. Seward was giving him tea with a spoon. He heard low voices around him, asking and replying as to whether it would be possible for him to recover. He could not speak, but his eyes showed his consciousness and that he desired to speak. They brought him a porcelain tablet, on which he managed to write: "Give me some more tea. I shall get well." And from that moment he has slowly but steadily recovered health and strength.

THE RUSSO-AMERICAN TELEGRAPH.—A newspaper correspondent, writing from London, furnishes the following interesting intelligence touching the Russo-American Telegraph:

The Western Union Telegraph Company, represented now in Europe by Hiram Sibley, its founder and late President, and the Vice President, Mr. Mumford, have just completed the purchases of William P. Henly, of London, of 600 miles of iron ranged cable, and 120 miles of heavy shore end, as well as 400 tons of No. 9 galvanized telegraph wire. 375 tons of this is now being loaded on board the ship *Norfolk*, which is to sail from London for Victoria to-day, the 15th inst. The remainder of the wire is to be ready for shipment on the 1st of January next. The Russian Government have just applied to a steamer, the *Colorado*, to assist in laying the cable on the 5th of August next, and, there is now every reason to believe that the entire girdle will be completed in less than three years.

The first book ever printed with types was the Bible in Latin. This was issued in Mentz, in Germany, about the year 1360. McClure, in his "Translators Revived," says of this book:

"Though a first attempt, it is beautifully printed on very fine paper, and with superior ink. At least eighteen copies of this famous edition are known to be in existence at the present time. Twenty-five years ago, one of these, printed on vellum, was sold for five hundred and four pounds sterling."

A copy owned in New York cost the possessor $2,500, but would bring nearly double that sum now.

The number of Bibles printed between 1450 and 1,500 was much larger than people generally suppose, and among them were several in German.

CHANCE FOR BRITISH SYMPATHY.—It is asserted that the widow of Stonewall Jackson is residing somewhere in Virginia, in a most destitute condition. The last reports from London of the state of the Stonewall Jackson Monument Fund placed the amount in hand at about $7,000. Now, why can't John Bull, who professes so much admiration for the gallant rebel General, first turn this money over to the starving widow, instead of sinking it in a monument which the General's children, if he left any, will, ten years hence, be ashamed to look upon? There is more than one Copperhead broker in Wall street who would gladly take charge of the funds for 3 per cent pet and no doubt scrupulously transfer them to the pocket of the suffering widow.

A Charleston paper takes satisfaction in saying that Gen Grant, on his recent visit to that city, "was quietly received by the military authorities. The negroes and Northern citizens turned out in considerable numbers to see the General, but native Charlestonians all turned their faces persistently towards the business part of the city at the hour for his arrival approached. A few Charleston, mostly Yankees' invited the distinguished guest' to a dinner at the Charleston Hotel, but he declined for want of time."

Mrs Lincoln has not ordered a monument from Germany for her husband. She is living in dignified retirement at the Clifton House, Chicago, superintending the education of her youngest son (with "Tad" Robert is completing his legal studies with a law firm in Chicago.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.—A Copperhead paper published over in Nevada appears to be in a dreadful way, because "every man woman and child throughout the land owes $100 of the national debt." Considering the origin of this debt, the $100 is a prudent and profitable investment.

Twenty three ocean steamers cleared at New York, in one day, of which only one was for Europe, nineteen were for various Southern ports and the remaining four were for various Eastern ports.

Dr Franklin said that revivals in religion always made him think of the scarcity of grain; those who had enough said nothing about it while those who were destitute made all the clamor.

A NEW SOCIALISTIC ORDER.—A man named Thomas Cook, living at Huntsville, Indiana has established a new socialistic community at that place. It is styled "The Independent Order of Free and Independent Men and Women," and declares all its members independent and free of all external powers, such as human rulers and human governors so far as it is possible for human souls at present to be. There will be no priest, king, president, governor, or other functionary to master and slave, no husband and wife, no landlord and tenant. The children, in a certain sense will be given the "democratic power of choosing their own parents." With this pretence no one will be surprised to learn that the principles of force and compulsion are discarded that each member is guided and governed by the spirit of perfect love which gives an unbounded spirit of charity and forbearance casts out doubting emancipates the soul from all forms and conventionalities, and gives unrestrained freedom. Mr Cook has begun the publication of a journal de nominated *The True Union*. *Socialist Socialist* supporting those principles, and proclaims himself as the second Christ, regularly succeeding Jesus of Nazareth.

A MECHANICIAN.—Appold, the English mechanician, who died recently at Clifton, was so much in favor of labor saving, that everything about his house that could be made so, was automatic. The doors opened as you approached them, and closed after you had entered, water came unbidden into the basin when the gas was lighted the shutters closed a self acting thermometer prevented temperature rising or falling above or below certain fixed points, and the air supplied for ventilation was both washed to cool and screened to cleanse it from blacks. Even the gates of his stable yard opened of themselves as he drove through and closed with out slamming. Mr Appold was a dresser of furs by a secret process, which he practiced successfully for many years, and he always maintained that his was a far more effective way of working an invention than by any patent.

FORCE OF HABIT.—Burke relates that for a time he had been under the necessity of frequenting a certain place every day, and that so far from finding a pleasure in it he was affected with disgust and yet if by any means he passed by the usual time of going thither he felt remarkably uneasy and was not quieted until he was in his usual track. Persons who use snuff soon deaden the sensibility of smell, so that a pinch is taken unconsciously, and without any sensation being excited thereby, sharp though the stimulus may be. After a series of years, winding up a watch at a certain hour, it becomes so much of a routine as to be done in utter unconsciousness, meanwhile the mind and body are engaged in something entirely different. An old man is reported to have scolded his maid servant severely for not having placed his glass in the proper position for shaving. "Why, sir," replied the girl, "I have omitted it for months, and I thought you could shave just as well without it."

HAD HIM THERE.—A clerk in a mercantile establishment relates a colloquy in which a sprightly youth in the same store came out second best. A poor boy came along with a machine, inquiring

"Any knives or scissors to grind?"

"Don't think we have," replied the young gentleman, facetiously, "but can you sharpen wits?"

"Yes, if you have got any," was the prompt retort, leaving his interrogator rather at a loss to produce his article.

NO BEGGARS IN AMERICA.—Sir Morton Peto, one of the English commercial visitors, said in his speech at Cleveland: "After our journeyings East and West, we can say there is only one thing that we have not seen in this country—we have not seen a single man asking alms. In other countries, no matter where, we could not have traveled a day without being appealed to on all sides by beggars, not a part that we could enter without being met on landing with an appeal for alms, 'Here we can say we have not seen a beggar, or a person whose appearance indicated want. This great fact is one of which you may well be proud."

MORMON FAITH.—One of the "Saints" at the Mormon Tabernacle lately, in speaking of the great opposition to the Church of the "Latter Day Saints," and more particularly to its chief cornerstone, polygamy, is reported to have said, in substance, such as follows:

We believe in the God of Abraham, who permitted him to have more than one wife, and we intend to practice polygamy at all hazards."

Following close upon this, he said: "The Mormons were a loyal people and intended to maintain the Constitution of the United States."

A poet in the Nebraska City *News* concludes a long poem with the following lines. They contain more truth than poetry:

Well such is life! Whom the Gods love
Die young. Whom they hate, live and prosper,
And are elected Delegates in Congress
From the several Territories.

That reminds one of Hood, who, meeting a group of playful boys, patted them tenderly on the head, remarking: "Poor little fellows! How sad to think they may grow up to be members of Parliament!"

REVIVAL OF SPIRITUALISM.—Mrs Sarah Haviland, a spiritual medium at Battle Creek, Michigan, has been arrested for the murder of her three youngest children, on the 16th. She confesses that she gave them arsenic, thinking it better to send them to the spirit world while they were innocent. The children's ages were four, six and eight years.

AN EDITOR IN SAVANNAH.—To show that editors in the South, although they live in a balmy climate, do not all recline on a bed of roses, we give the following from the Savannah *National Republican*: "All anonymous communications intended for the editor of this paper will hereafter be addressed to Chatham county jail, where they will be carefully perused, and at a proper time responded to."

DIDN'T FLICKER.—A Confederate soldier who had fought fairly and squarely throughout the late war, when he was startled with the intelligence of the surrender of the three armies of Lee, Johnson and Taylor, woke up to a "realizing sense" of the stupendousness of the failure. His surprise broke forth in the exclamation, "D—n the thing! It didn't even flicker, but went right out."

Thirty thousand square feet of space have been assigned for American exhibitors in the French Universal Industrial Exhibition, which is to open at Paris in the Spring of 1867. Those desiring to exhibit must send, their applications for assignment to No 5, Spruce street New York, before the first of January next.

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Portland, March 6th, 1865 dtf

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Corner Washington and First Sts., and

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Apply at the office of HARBAUGH & STEELE
North Portland Steam Saw Mill
Portland, Dec 9th 1865 dtf

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Wholesale, Retail and Forwarding Agents
for Dr J M RICE
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Information Wanted

OF WM BROWN whose mother has been very sick for some time in San Francisco and is not expected to recover. She is constantly inquiring for you, and if it is possible come immediately on reading this notice.

HENRY STAMP

Stockholders' Meeting.—A Meeting of the Stockholders of the POTOSI DE IDAHO G & S M CO will be held at the Office of the Company in this City on Saturday, January 20 1866 at 7 P M. A full attendance is requested.

WM HOGAN, E J NORTHRUP, Pres't.

Potosi of Idaho Gold and Silver Mining Company.—Location of Mine, Fresh Water District. Owyhee County, I T—Notice. Each Shareholder in the Company is hereby notified and required to make payment of the assessment levied on the 18th day of June 1865, the several amounts set opposite the name of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names	No of Shares	No Shares	Amt
W P Ray	1	14	$14 00
"			7 00
H P Jeff	37	7	7 00
"	73	2	2 00
J M Kirkpatrick	1 (not paid)	1	1 00
"	2 (advanced)	10	10 00
A Hiatt	15	4	4 00
"	16	14	14 00
"	71	2	2 00
"	17 and 19	5—ea	10 00
W H Packwood	36	50	50 00
"	52 and 53	5—ea	10 00
D C O Brien	203 204 205 206 207		
"	208 209 210 211, and 226	10—ea	100 00
D C O Brien	212	2	2 00
John Elmer	408, 409, 410 and 411	2, ea	10 00
"	413	24	24 00
Wakefield & Stacy	247 248 249 250		
"	251 and 252	6—ea	12 00
J W Knight	57 and 70	5—ea	10 00
George Stingel	227	10	10 00
"	283	10	10 00
"	564	5	5 00
Washington Dunkerly	401	2	2 00
"	404	2	2 00

There is also due on the following described lots on account of assessment levied January 14th 1865:

W P Ray	1	14	14 00
"	2	"	5 00
"	4	"	5 00
A Hiatt	71	"	2 00
"	73	"	2 00
George Stingel	283	11	16 00
"	564	5	5 00
Washington Dunkerly	401	2	2 00

In accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon and an order of the Board of Directors of said Potosi of Idaho Gold and Silver Mining Company, made on the 12th day of September, 1865, so many shares of each and every stock as may be necessary will be sold at the front door of the office of the Company, in Union 54 and 76 Front street Portland at public auction on the 23d day of October 1865, at 9:45 o'clock A M of that day to pay said assessments with costs of advertising and expenses of sale 44 ft 60 the 14 JAMES STEEL, Sec'y

The above sale is postponed until the 23d day of December 1865. By order of the Board of Directors.
JAMES STEEL, Secretary

The above sale is postponed until the 16th day of December 1865 by order of the Directors.
JAMES STEEL Sec'y

The above sale is postponed to Wednesday January 17th, 1866 at 9:45 o'clock A M. By order of the Board.
wd&dtd16017 E J NORTHRUP, Pres't

Notice to Contractors

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of R R Thompson, (in Cree's Building, adjoining the office of the O R & N Co) in this city, until Saturday the 6th January 1866, at 4 o'clock P M, of said day for improving First Street in said city, between Couch's Addition to the City of Portland and the South line of Madison street, in time and manner provided by Ordinance No. 207, passed by the Common Council of said city, and approved November 3, 1865, amended Dec 20th 1865.

Separate proposals will be required

First—For removing all perishable material &c from and grading the street, as required in said ordinance.

Second—For furnishing material and constructing the curbings, side-walks and cross walks in the manner provided by said Ordinance.

Third—For furnishing material and completing the stone work on said street, as provided in said ordinance.

Contractors will be required to bid separately on the work of the said improvement on each half of the street with the share of improvement of intersections which is charged to each block of lots abutting thereon.

Specifications and Drawings may be seen at the office of C M Barrage, City Surveyor.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids deemed unreasonable.

Bonds will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

J P O LOWNSDALE,
W H WATKINS,
R R THOMPSON,
Committee on Streets and Public Property
Portland, January 1, 1866 dtd

The letting of the contract for the improvement of First street as advertised to be let on the 8th inst is postponed until January 29, 1866, at 4 o'clock P. M. of said day.

J P O LOWNSDALE,
W. H. WATKINS,
R. R. THOMPSON.
Committee on Streets and Public Property
Portland, Jan 6th, 1866. dtd

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment made by Ordinance No 245 for the improvement of Washington street (as provided by Ordinance No. 259), on each of the following described lots and parts of lots, lying and abutting on Washington street between the center of Third (3d) street and the east line of East Park street, is due and payable to the City Treasurer in U. S. gold and silver coin, and if the same is not paid within five days from the final publication of this notice, the Council will order a warrant for the collection of the same. Said assessment is as follows, to wit:

DATE OF ENTRY.	NO OF BLOCK.	NO OF LOT.	OWNER TO WHOM ASSESSED	AMT OF ASSESSM'T
Nov 17—'65	47	4	Presbyterian Church	$50
"	"	5	" "	64 40
"	"	6	P. Raleigh,	434 80
"	"	8	Jno Wolfe,	65 20
"	48	1	F Dekum,	435 00
"	"	2	"	64 40
"	"	5	P. Raleigh,	434 80
"	"	7	" "	65 20
"	64	4	" "	434 80
"	"	5	Wm Carroll,	65 20
"	"	6	R Perkins,	437 20
"	"	7	"	64 40
"	63	1	Newell,	430 40
"	"	2	Wm. Cremens,	86 08
"	"	6	Buchanan,	430 40
"	"	7	"	65 20
"	175	4	A H. Johnson,	432 60
"	"	8	" "	70 04
"	"	5	E D Hutchins,	434 80
"	"	6	"	73 08
"	174	3	A N. King,	434 80
"	"	2	"	73 08
"	"	8	Robt. King,	434 80
"	"	7	W O'Conner	71 68
"	176	4	P Raleigh,	434 80
"	"	5	"	73 08
"	"	6	"	434 80
"	"	7	"	86 08
"	177	1	Heirs of Smith,	430 40
"	"	2	J T Kearney,	79 20
"	"	3	C & A McInnis,	434 80
"	"	7	P Flynn,	68 00
"	214	4	G O H & L Brooke,	434 80
"	"	5	" "	78 88
"	"	6	" "	348 00
"	"	7	" "	0 00
"	213	1	Milwain & Jarnt,	434 80
"	"	2	" "	68 00
"	"	3	" "	540 00
"	"	7	" "	0 00

Published by order of the Common Council
H B MEEKER,
Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland
Portland, Jan 10, 1866. dtd

Notice

To Persons taking out Licenses in the City of Portland.

CITY MARSHAL'S OFFICE, Jan 8, 1866.

THE ATTENTION OF ALL PERSONS DOING BUSINESS in the City of Portland which requires a City License, is directed to Sec 2d of Ordinance No 170, which is as follows:

That every person, firm, company or corporation required by this Ordinance to obtain a license to engage in any trade, business or profession, for which a license is required by this Ordinance shall pay to the City Treasurer such sum or sums as hereinafter provided.

Thereupon, with the receipt of the City Treasurer, which receipt shall set forth the kind of business for which license is desired, they shall apply to the City Auditor who shall issue a License to the parties applying in accordance with the receipt of the Treasurer.

In consequence of the refusal or neglect of many persons to apply to the Auditor for such License, after paying the money to the Treasurer I am ordered by the Common Council to give notice that unless persons comply with the requirements of said Ordinance they will be arrested and prosecuted whether they have paid the money or not.

BENJ. HOYT,
Marshal of the City of Portland.
jan9tdtf

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Fast Freight.

Goods shipped from San Francisco and Portland care of Post Land Changes will be made at Goods forwarded in dead condition.

GOODS SHOULD BE MARKED CARE B. M. D. & I. F. LINE, and shipping Receipts sent to care Agents of Umatilla.

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The annexed French Billiard Player M Perger has published the following opinion:

"New York, 2d August 1865

"On the eve of leaving the United States, I am happy to declare to all amateurs of Billiards that, after a tour of eleven months through the principal cities, I have been enabled to judge in a satisfactory manner of the superiority of the Billiard Tables manufactured by Phelan & Collender. The system of manufacturing is so superior, that I am happy to introduce their style of cushion into Europe. They have united in their manufacture of American Billiard Tables that of the French Tables, of remarkable excellence and durability. For these reasons I am happy to make this declaration.

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Sheriff's Sale

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION NOW in my hands, tested January 3d 1866, and to me directed, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, in a suit wherein William Gilliham by his guardian, Marian Gilliham, is plaintiff, and S. N. Arrigoni, et al are defendants, I will expose to public sale, in front of the Court House door, in the City of Portland, in Multnomah County, State of Oregon, commencing at ten o'clock, A M, on

Thursday, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1866,

so much of the following described real estate, situate in the City of Portland, County of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, as may be necessary to pay the several amounts set opposite, and interest thereon, and costs and expenses of such sale, that is to say:

Block 209, lot 7—amount, $219 88
Block 208, lot 8—amount $247 76
Block 210, 1 to 7 4, 5 and 6—amount, $611 17
Block 211, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount $1223 35
Block 215, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount $1807 96.
Block 218, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8—amount $1757 20
Block 220, lots 1 4, 5 and 6—amount, $806 61
Block 240 lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 —amount $1388 05
Block 250, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount $1415 41
Block 257, lots 3, 4, 5, and 6—amount, $723 21
Block 254 lot 1—amount, $214 53
Block 244, lot 2, 3 and 4—amount $516 54
Block 254, lot 5 and 6—amount, $181 45.
Block 274, lots 7 and 8—amount, $381 90
Block 255, lots 1 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, and south 6 feet of lot two (2)—amount, $1698 do.
Block 256 lot 4—amount $180 94
Block 257, lots 1, 2, 7 and 8—amount $639 81
Block 258 lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 amount $1279 11
Block 259, lots 1, 6, 7 and 8—amount, $566 18.

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